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BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice	6 5	7 to 7¼	seers per rupee.
Ragi	14 8	13½ to 14	

Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, is sold at 8¼ seers per rupee.

Agricultural operations.—Collecting manure.

Probable outturn of harvests.—Paddy, yield 12 annas; and ragi, yield 8 annas.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Manuring of lands is being carried on in parts of the Nelamangala Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in parts of the Bangalore, Dodballapur, Kankanhalli, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks and the Closepet Sub-Taluk, and Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Dodballapur, Kankanhalli, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks and the Closepet Sub-Taluk are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar-cane in parts of the Bangalore and Dodballapur Taluks and the Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of the Bangalore, Nelamangala, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks and the Closepet Sub-Taluk; potatoes in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk and ragi in parts of the Hoskote Taluk.

Estimated outturn of harvests:—

Sugar-cane in parts of the Bangalore Taluk, yield from 8 to 10 annas.
" " Nelamangala Taluk, yield from 8 to 12 annas.
" " Devanhalli Taluk, yield from 8 to 12 annas.
" " Closepet Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas.
Potatoes " Devanhalli Taluk, yield from 4 to 8 annas.
Ragi " Hoskote Taluk, yield from 6 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for small-pox and measles in parts of the Hoskote and Devanhalli Taluks, and plague, which is subsiding in Channapatna town, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water, pasture and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and preparing the fields for sowing sugar-cane and paddy, thrashing of paddy and milling of sugar-cane are being carried on.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar-cane in Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Goribidnur and Malur and in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and paddy in the Goribidnur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their yield.—

Sugar-cane in Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Malur, yield from 8 to 12 annas; jola in Bagepalli and Goribidnur, yield from 6 to 8 annas; ragi in Gudibanda, yield 8 annas and paddy in Bagepalli, yield from 12 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. There was no rain during the week. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of the Kolar, Chikballapur, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and cholera in the Kolar Taluk and an imported case of it in the Mulbagal Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Their condition is good in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Kunigal, Turuvekere and Tumkur, and fair in Tiptur and Koratagere. In parts of Pavagada crops under irrigation wells are in good condition. In other parts of Pavagada, they have withered for want of water in irrigation wells.

Crops harvested.—

In Maddagiri, jola and navane.
In Chiknayakanhalli, Bengal gram.
In Sira, Bengal gram and cotton.
In Tiptur, Bengal gram.
In Pavagada, paddy, jola, Bengal gram, wheat, cotton and castor.
In Kunigal, sugar-cane.
In Koratagere, sugar-cane.
In Turuvekere, paddy and sugar-cane.

10. Prospects of the season are good on the whole. Food grains are available. Their prices remain stationary.

11. Small-pox is prevailing in a few villages of the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk. There has been recrudesence of plague at Chiknayakanhalli. Public health is generally good in the other parts of the district.

12. "Dod Roga" in a few villages of the Maddagiri and Pavagada Taluks and "Foot and mouth" disease in a few villages of the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk are still prevailing. Water and fodder are available in sufficient quantities all over the district, except Pavagada where they are available in limited quantities only.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition in all the taluks, except T.-Narsipur, where they are reported to be in need of rain.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane is being harvested in parts of the Seringapatam, Malvalli and Mandya Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of the Malvalli and Mandya Taluks and plague in parts of the Mysore, Nanjangud and Malvalli Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Dod Roga" prevalent in a few villages of the Mandya, Mysore, Gundlupet and Krishnarajpete Taluks, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Kar paddy is being transplanted in parts of the Channarayapatna Taluk. Raiyats are reported to be engaged in preliminary agricultural operations.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested and their yield.—

Sugar-cane is being harvested in the Channarayapatna Taluk, its estimated outturn being 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Except for ague and fever reported to be prevailing in parts of the Channarayapatna Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Dod Roga" reported to be prevailing in parts of Esvarahalli of the Manjarabad Taluk and in Ponnatpur of the Alur Sub-Taluk, cattle are generally in good condition. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—In the Honnali, Sagar and Nagar Taluks, lands are being ploughed and prepared for cultivation.

Standing crops are in good condition in all the taluks.

Crops sown.—Sugar-cane planting has commenced in the Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Harvesting of black gram, green gram and Bengal gram has been completed in the Shikarpur Taluk and sugar-cane milling is in progress in the Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Water and fodder are available in sufficient quantities.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manured in Chikmagalur and Mudgere.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and kar paddy in Kadur and Chikmagalur; and sugar-cane in Yedahalli are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested and their yield.—

In Chikmagalur—Sugar-cane, yield 8 annas.
In Tarikere—Sugar-cane and jola.
In Yedahalli—Sugar-cane.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available.

11. Except for plague in certain villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk and in the town of Kadur, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Dod Roga" in certain villages of the Chikmagalur and Mudgere Taluks, and "Foot and mouth" disease in parts of the Kadur Taluk, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available in all the taluks.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops,* paddy, jola, cotton, Bengal gram, sugar-cane, wheat and chillies are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested and their yield.—

Wheat and Bengal gram in the Challakere Taluk, yield 8 annas; and wheat and cotton in the Chitaldrug Taluk, yield from 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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